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TO: ISDH Executive Board

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SUBJECT: **Children's Special Health Care Services Rule – Final Adoption - 410 IAC 3.2**

The Indiana State Department of Health (ISDH), Maternal and Children's Special Healthcare (MCSHC) Division, requests the Executive Board, at the Board's September 9, 2009 meeting, to take final adoption action on the proposed revisions to the Children's Special Health Care Services Rule, 410 IAC 3.2. The proposed final rule is attached.

This rule change stems from reductions in funding at the state level. With the rule's changes to reimbursement for travel and reimbursement to claims paid for Applied Behavioral Analysis (a \$10,000.00 cap on services, per participant, per year, is being implemented), the program intends to curb expenditures in non-core areas of the program.

In the proposed final rule, the ISDH has only made one change, which is to make the rule effective January 1, 2010, rather than on passing, to allow for easier claims tracking with regards to the new maximum cap on ABA therapy sessions.

A Public Hearing was held on June 30, 2009. A summary of public comments and the ISDH response to those comments is included.

Attachments: Copy of proposed rule
Copy of summary of comments